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Classified By: Political Counselor Robin Quinville for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

[¶1.](#) (C/NF) Summary: Poloff met with Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) officers November 18 per reftel to seek updated information about HMG  
[¶2.](#) (C/NF) During a November 18 meeting with Poloff, Sujeevan Satheesan, Head of the Mexico, Central America, Cuba, Dominican Republic and Haiti  
[¶3.](#) (C) Further to the questions posed in reftel, Post provides the following updated answers pertaining to the UK's involvement in and relatic  
[¶4.](#) (C) Has the UK made other public statements or undertaken other governmental actions, such as resolutions in Parliament condemning human ri  
[¶5.](#) (C/NF) Have there been any high level diplomatic visits between Cuba and the UK in the past six months? --No UK Minister has visited Cuba s  
[¶6.](#) (C) What is the nature of investments that UK businesses have in Cuba? --UK businesses have limited trade ties with Cuba. The FCO does nc  
[¶7.](#) (SBU) Are there any bilateral trade agreements between the UK and Cuba? --The FCO is not aware of any bilateral trade agreements between t  
[¶8.](#) (SBU) Are there any exchange programs between the UK and Cuba, including but not limited to: scholarships for UK nationals to study in Cuba  
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